

AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please amend the specification as follows:

Please **delete** "The invention relates to a floating microwave filter in a waveguide structure" and **add** the following title:

FLOATING MICROWAVE FILTER IN A WAVEGUIDE STRUCTURE

Please **add** the following new paragraph beginning at page 1, after the title:

This application claims the benefit under 35 U.S.C. § 119 of French application number 0303923, filed March 31, 2003.